## Section A [45 marks]

Answer all questions.

1 The function f is defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{64 - x^3}{x - 4}, & x < 4, \\ (1 - m^2)x^2, & x = 4, \\ n\sqrt{x - 1}, & x > 4. \end{cases}$$

Determine the exact value of the constants m and n such that the function f is continuous at x = 4. [7]

- 2 A curve is defined parametrically by  $x = \frac{9t^2 1}{3t}$  and  $y = \frac{9t^2 + 9t + 1}{3t}$ , where  $t \neq 0$ .
  - (a) Find the coordinates of the points where the tangent line to the curve is parallel to x-axis.

    [7]
  - (b) Is there any tangent line to the curve which is parallel to y-axis? Justify your answer. [2]

3 Find the exact value of 
$$\int_0^{\ln \frac{\pi}{4}} e^x \cot(2e^x) dx$$
. [6]

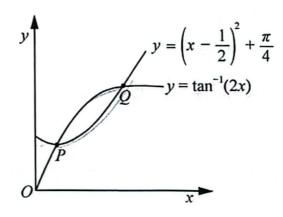
- 4 Find the particular solution of the differential equation  $x^2 e^{x^4} \frac{dy}{dx} + 5xy e^{x^4} = 1$ , for x > 0, with the condition y = 0 when x = 1.
- 5 Using Maclaurin series for  $e^x$  and  $\cos x$ , find Maclaurin series for  $e^x(1 + \cos 2x)$  up to the terms in  $x^4$ . [3]

Hence, evaluate 
$$\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{e^x \cos^2 x - 1}{x}$$
. [4]

- 6 Use differentiation to show that the iteration  $x_{n+1} = (2.1 4e^{-2x_n})^2 1$  converges to the root of the equation  $4e^{-2x} + \sqrt{x+1} = 2.1$  in the interval [3, 4].
  - Hence, find the root using initial approximation  $x_0 = 4.0$  correct to three decimal places. [5]

You may answer all the questions, but only the first answer will be marked.

7 Two curves with the equations  $y = \tan^{-1}(2x)$  and  $y = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{\pi}{4}$  in the first quadrant are shown in the graph below.



Both curves intersect at two points, P and Q (1.099, 1.144), where P is the minimum point of the curve  $y = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

- (a) State the coordinates of P. [1]
- (b) Calculate the area of the region bounded by the curves  $y = \tan^{-1}(2x)$  and  $y = \left(x \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{\pi}{4}$ . [9]
- (c) Calculate the exact volume generated when the region bounded by the curve  $y = \tan^{-1}(2x)$ ,

$$y = \frac{\pi}{4}$$
 and the origin O is revolved completely about the y-axis. [5]

- 8 Assume that the rate of elimination of caffeine from the body is k times the mass of caffeine, x mg, of the remaining active amount of caffeine at time t hours, where k is a constant. Once an average-sized cup of coffee is consumed completely, the initial amount of caffeine in the body is  $x_0$  mg.
- (a) (i) State a differential equation which describes the above situation. Hence, solve the differential equation. [4]
  - (ii) If the half-life of caffeine in the body is 5 hours, determine the value of k. [3]
  - (iii) Sketch the graph of x against t. [2]
- (b) Assume that an average-sized cup of coffee contains 95 mg of caffeine and the coffee is consumed 8 hours ago,
  - (i) how much caffeine remains in the body? [2]
- (ii) determine the time taken to eliminate 98% of the caffeine from the body. Can the amount of caffeine totally be eliminated from the body? Justify your answer. [4]

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